

### Clearinghouse Update

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# Summary of Advisory Board Meeting

- Productive meeting
- Most discussion focused on the issues that were identified as a result of a Feb 2 Strategic Planning meeting the Clearinghouse had with WETP

# Summary of Strategic Planning Meeting

- Meeting in February
- Key issues from meeting
  - NIEHS WETP Katrina response
  - DOE program area needs some attention
  - Need to set up meeting with key staff at EPA
  - Strategy to address quality control
  - Strategic Plan update

#### Katrina Field Office

- Hired a Field Director for the office
- Liaison between NIEHS awardees and Federal agencies, state and local government agencies, contractors, and community groups, facilitating the development of training partnerships

#### Future Meetings and Workshops

- September 13-15, 2006 New York City
  - Commemorating 5-year anniversary of 9/11
- Spring 2007
  - National Trainers' Exchange